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EDMONTON BULLETIN FEB. 8th, 1901

CHICKEN POX OR ?

An epidemic of a nature which is baffling the medical men to name is rife in the town and district. What the disease is the doctors are not prepared to say, for while it resembles chicken pox, it also resembles a disease of a more serious nature. The complaint first started at Belmont, from there it moved on: in the St. Albert and Morinville directions, next it was heard of at Stoney Plain, then south and east of town and now it is epidemic in the town itself. When the peculiar nature of the complaint was first noticed the medical health officer reported it to the authorities at Regina, asking if they were willing to have a thorough examination made of it by all the local doctors in consultation. The minister of agriculture replied that the department preferred to consider it, for the present, as an attack of virulent chicken pox, but were sending Dr. MacDonald, medical health officer of Calgary, up to investigate. Dr. MacDonald came in last night and proceeded to looking into the matter. He also, in company with the local health officer, saw a number of the cases which had developed in town, and these cases, he stated, were of the same nature as those reported and investigated at Lethbridge, Macleod and Calgary. The matter came up at Wednesday's council meeting, on a report of the medical health officer, who, after reporting the nature and extent of the disease, and the steps that had already been taken towards checking its ravages, advised: "In view of the fact that chicken pox is very prevalent throughout the country, and that it is of a suspicious nature, I beg to advise that the council pass a by-law at once making it a disease to be quarantined; That any medical man must notify the health authorities within twenty-four hours, of any case coming under his notice, and that the house be disinfected; that children, before returning to school, be supplied with a written certificate by the medical man in charge." The medical health officer expressed himself as perfectly certain that the cases were of the same nature as those reported in other parts of the Territories. "We need not say that it is small pox, but it is very close to it and it is my duty to insist that you quarantine. A change in the weather might develop it into small pox. It is of a contagious nature and might become dangerous."

As there were technical difficulties in the way of the council passing a quarantine by-law that night, it was decided to get around the difficulty by passing a motion asking the medical men to quarantine in all cases where the disease came under their notice, and to notify the health authorities at once. A letter along these lines, was drafted, and on motion it was decided to present the letter to the other doctors, and that they be asked to sign same, also that quarantine placards be provided, and the medical health officer be authorized to take such other precautions as he may deem necessary.

RAILWAY CHARTERS.

Application will be made at the present session for an act incorporating a company to construct a line of railway from a point on Kiteam Harior, B. C., thence easterly and northerly by the most feasible route to a point on Teasin lake, thence along the shore of Teasin lake and the Horsebangle river to the intersection of the Yukon river, thence to Dawson City and to amalgamate with any other railway authorized to build lines of railway near said route.

Application will be made at this session for an act to incorporate a company to construct a railway from a point on the international boundary line near Cascade, B. C., thence in a westerly direction following the valley of Kettle river to a point on the boundary line at or near Carson with a branch from a point at or near Grand Forks to a point fifty miles up the north fork of Kettle river, following the valley of the same river, also with a branch from a point at or near Grand Forks, proceeding in a south-westerly direction by way of Greenwood to a point on the international boundary line near Midway.

Notice is given in the official Gazette that application will be made at the present session of parliament for an act "to incorporate a company to be called the Battleford, Fish Creek and Lake Lenore railway company, with all necessary power to construct a railway commencing at a point on Battle river in the district of Saskatchewan, at or near the junction of Cutknife Creek with the said Battle River, thence in a generally easterly direction by way of Battleford and Fish Creek to Lake Lenore; thence to a point on the Canadian Northern railway at a

point near Crooked river." The applicants also propose to run a branch line from Fish Creek to Qu'Appelle station. Lake Lenore lies amongst the hills northerly from Saskatchewan.

The Canadian Northern railway is also making application for charters covering the construction of a number of branches. One of the paragraphs refers to Battleford in a way that would tend to indicate that they intend to open up that district as well as the one northwest of Battleford to which the applicants refer.

TOWN COUNCIL.

At Wednesday's regular meeting there were present the mayor and all Councilors.

A. Young, who is selling stereoscopic views, was referred to license and police committee, who will regulate amount of license fee to be charged him while operating in town.

A letter was read from the minister of justice, dated 29th Jan., notifying that I. B. Cowan had been appointed police magistrate at Edmonton, with jurisdiction throughout the Northwest Territories. "Mr. Cowan's commission," the minister advised, "is being drafted." The communication was filed.

The National Tube Co. of Portland, Oregon, wrote regarding waterworks supplies, and their communication was filed.

As directed, the secretary-treasurer wrote to the board of fire insurance underwriters, at Winnipeg, asking them what changes would be necessary in the fire protection of the town, to entitle the town to a lower insurance rate. The following reply was received:

"At present your town is rated on 'what we call an intermediate classification.' To raise you to a B classification and give you lower rates, the following requirements are necessary: (1) A steam fire engine of 500 gallons or more per minute pumping capacity, and effective arrangement for horses for same. (2) A heater attached to the engine while in the hall, by which the water is kept constantly warm in the engine, both winter and summer. (3) A paid engineer to be at the hall at all times. (4) Sufficient hose to reach any part of the business part of the town from the tanks and a few lengths of hose extra for reserve in case of necessity. (5) A sufficient supply of water in tanks of at least 10,000 gallons capacity, each properly distributed. (6) At least ten firemen to have sleeping accommodation at the hall, and to sleep there. (7) A chemical engine with not less than an eighty gallon cylinder. (8) A fire alarm or efficient telephone service. (9) A hook and ladder truck. All subject to the approval of the board of underwriters."

Coun. Morris: "We have them all but the hoses and the firemen in the hall." The communication was then referred to fire, water and light committee.

The firemen enclosed their account for coal to fire at Queen's hotel.

The secretary-treasurer of the public school board advised that he had been informed by Miss Osborne that one of the pupils attending her school was affected with chicken pox. Referred to medical health officer.

Chief of Police Pattison wrote re increase in salary. Referred to license and police committee, for report next meeting.

Under the head of inquiries Coun. Blouey inquired if any communication had been received from Victoria, B. C., in further regard to the installation of the proposed waterworks. He was advised that no further communication had been received.

F. Villeneuve, solicitor for J. H. Garvey, wrote enclosing account of the expenses his client had incurred in connection with the recent at the municipal election here, asking that the same be paid by the town. The account amounted to \$39.60. Matter was referred to finance committee, after prolonged discussion.

The following accounts were passed: Town official salaries, \$393.91
J. McDonald, line tank repairs, 3.00
E. M. Hoover, draying, .75
Alberta Hotel, police draying, 1.75
C. P. R., telephone, 2.00
Great West Saddlery Co., 1.05
Ross Bros., mail, 5.15
J. R. Fraser, lumber, 7.05
W. J. Walker, draying material, 20.40
Price & Engstrom, draying work, 8.00
Ross Bros., draying work, .50
John A. Reid, ordinances, 25.00
E. E. L. & P. Co., lighting, 85.12
Garvey & Broseous, 1.50
Bulletin Co., printing, 8.00
The meeting then adjourned.

STATEMENT.

Of receipts and expenditures of White Throats' performance:

Expenditures:

Printing and bill posting, \$11.00
Stage costuming, 1.00
Dossange, stationery, .45
W. B. Macdonald, make-up, 1.00
Robertson Hall, rent, 19.50
Henry, for costume, 3.00
Wood, carpentering, .50
McKenzie, stationery, .70
Proprietor & Selgers, food-man's coat, 2.50
M. T. Montgomery, flowers, .25
Orchestra, music books, 7.00
Sundries, .25
H. J. Baker, for special services, 2.00
W. J. Walker, material for end-man's coat, 1.50
A. Brille, voted by committee for services as leader, 25.00
Total receipts, \$78.15

Receipts:

A. Brille, donation to hospital, 85.00
Box receipts, 98.15
Total receipts, 183.15
Total expenditure, 78.15
Balance, \$205.00
The balance has been divided equally between the two hospitals.

SUPREME COURT JUDGMENTS.

The following judgments in cases tried at the October sittings of the court before Mr. Justice Rouleau, have been received by the clerk of the court here:

Ramsay vs. McDonald. An action for \$212.84, which the plaintiff claims was collected for him by the defendant. Judgment for plaintiff and costs. Short & Cross for plaintiff, N. D. Mills for defendant.

Frank R. Calk vs. Dowling Milling Co. Action for damages for breach of contract. Case dismissed with costs. C. & W. MacDonald, advocate, for plaintiff, N. D. Beck for defendant.

Miss Phillips vs. M. McCauley. Action for the possession of two pieces of land and trespass on said land and damages in consequence of said trespass. The plaintiff is granted her decree with a perpetual injunction restraining the defendant from trespassing or damaging the property of the plaintiff, also general damages of \$100.00 with the costs of the action. Bown & Robertson for plaintiff, Short & Cross for defendant.

ALBERTA OATS STILL AHEAD.

Commercial: Oats are again higher this week, some dealers quoting advances of as much as 3c per bushel over their figures for a week ago. While others are naming prices about 1c to 2c up. Manitoba oats are getting scarce and offerings are still of poor quality. Northern Alberta oats are being brought in for all purposes and command from 2c to 3c per bushel more than the inferior home-grown grades. Demand is good, especially for seed oats. We quote: Northern Alberta oats in carlots on track here, 40 to 45c per bushel.

Frost-Proof Clothing

As the cold weather is now on, I would beg to draw the attention of my customers to some lines of FUR COATS, CAPS, etc., also FELT SHOES, which are always warm. We have special values in these lines.

H. Sigler.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between James A. Stovel and Emily Strang under the firm name, and style of Stovel & Strang, and carrying on business as Hardware Merchants in the Town of Edmonton in the North West Territories of Canada, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, the said Emily Strang retiring from said business.

All liabilities of the said Firm of Stovel & Strang will be paid by James A. Stovel and all accounts due said Firm to be paid by him.

The said business will henceforth be carried on by James A. Stovel aforesaid.

JAMES A. STOVEL,
EMILY STRANG,
Witness, L. GULLY.

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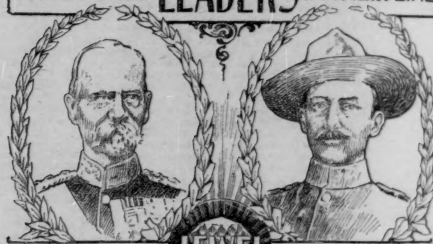
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SHE NODDIT TO ME

The following homely poem, which recently appeared in a weekly journal published at Aberdeen, Scotland attracted the notice of the Queen, and Her Majesty wrote expressing a desire to be furnished with the name of the author. It aptly illustrates the sympathetic, inborn, true nobility of Britain's late monarch. The piece is entitled: "Sue Noddit To Me."

I'm but an auld body
Lived up in Bessie,
In a two-room'd bit hoosie
Wi' a toad's beatie;
Wi' my coo and my grumpy, (pie)
I'm as larkie's a bee,
But I'm far prouder noo
Sinee she noddit to me!
I'm nae far past w'-
I'm gie trig and hail,
Can plant twa-three tawties,
An' look after my kail;
And when our gins pass
I'm o' her to see,
Gin by luck she might notice
And not cut to me!
But I've been unlucky,
And the blinde were aye doon,
Till last week's time
O' her visit cam' round,
I waved my bit apron
An' brack I could dae,
An' the Queen she'd fu' kindly
An' noddit to me!
My son alogs in Egypt—
It's nae use to fret—
An' yet when I think o'
I'm sair like to grose,
She's nae mither, ye see—
An' maybe she's bent o'
When she noddit to me!

BEAVER LAKE EST.

Influenza has been prevalent here lately.

August Vereh was re-elected trustee at the annual meeting in Beaver lake school district.

Rev. Alex. Forbes held communion and other services at the lake recently. He also visited Vegreville and organized a Presbyterian church there. A board of managers was elected, and arrangements made for the erection of a church.

A party of Germans from Stony Plain passed through on the 30th bound for the Vermilion. Should that part of the country suit them, I understand that some fifteen families will remove there.

Some people believe that the coldest weather always comes at full moon. Some years' observations have convinced me that this is a fallacy. The lowest temperatures seldom come exactly at the full of the moon or any other phase. They come often between the phases. Let those who doubt this see a record of the moon's changes for 1900 with the table of temperatures in the Bulletin of Jan. 11th.

Jan. 31, '00.

WHITFORD.

Daniel Desjarlais' infant son is seriously ill.

Henry Monkman has recovered from his runaway wounds.

Esquire Hamilton is trying the electric cure for his rheumatism and is much improved by its use.

Mrs. J. Borwick is on the sick list. Holmest Inspector Coleman visited us recently.

Born at Whitford on Jan. 11th, 1901, to Mrs. and Mr. J. P. Anderson, a son. It is rumored that the Guthrie Bros. are soon to open a general mercantile business here.

Rev. Mr. Scott, of Star, made New Year's calls at Whitford early in the month.

Mrs. Mary Harris Bowen visited us on business lately.

G. G. Mann, Indian agent at Saddle Lake and Mrs. Mann camped here on the 27th inst.

Peter Tompkins, farm instructor of Whitefish lake, passed through here en route for Edmonton on the 27th.

A prominent Edmonton lawyer, who is a taxpayer here, is the only delinquent of 1900 school tax of Whitford P. S. D.

PONOKA.

Rev. J. H. Cubitt leaves for England next week.

A Cervery, of Orell, Neb., will locate here in the spring.

A business meeting of the Presbyterian church was held on the 18th inst. Rev. J. A. Nair, in the chair. No minutes or financial statement was read. Messrs. W. J. Muir and B. Dick were elected elders, and J. Dick and W. H. Speckman as additional members of the board of management. G. Paal was re-elected secretary, and the board was instructed to canvass for subscriptions.

W. D. Picot is taking out an auctioneer's license.

The village has purchased three acres from Andrew Reid for a burial ground. It is situated one and a quarter miles west of town.

On the 19th a train load of 16,000 bushels of grain went south.

The Presbyterians will hold a musical concert in Algara's Hall on Feb. 12th.

Mrs. A. J. Milton and three children from Cedar Rapids, Iowa, arrived last week.

T. W. Hutchinson has a very good article in "Nor-West Farmer" of Jan. 15th on "How much wheat should we sow per acre."

Applications has been made to the department of the interior to lease 114-23 for grazing. Protests, if any, must be sent in not later than Feb. 16th.

Sellers & Miller have bought 1,000 bushels of oats from McLaughlin & Co. of Battle Lake.

THACKER-McISAAC

Winnipeg, Jan. 31st. Zion church was a scene of brilliancy and joyousness Wednesday on the occasion of the fastening of the golden chains of matrimony between Rev. P. Iverson Thacker, Methodist minister at Sturgeon northeast of Edmonton, Alberta, and Miss Wilhelmina McIsaac, fifth daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John McIsaac, of Chatham, Ont. The bride is well known and esteemed in Manitoba from having been engaged for some time in the teaching profession at Brandon, and other points, most recently Emerson. There are hundreds in Winnipeg to whom the bridegroom needs no introduction. He received his education in the Winnipeg schools afterwards spending some years at Wesley college and this city has been his home, except when he has been teaching or doing missionary work at provincial points. For some time he filled the pulpit of the Maple Street Congregational church, when that church was without a pastor.

The interesting ceremony of last evening was performed by Rev. Hamilton Wigle, B. A., pastor of Zion church, assisted by Rev. E. J. Johnston, B. A., of Emerson. The bride was given away by Mr. Charles Thacker, father of the groom. She looked charming in a dress of white broadcloth, trimmed with chiffon, lace and ribbons, wearing a bridal veil, and carrying a bouquet of wild roses. The only ornament she wore was a gold brooch, the gift of the bridegroom. She was attended by Miss Annie Marshall, of this city as first bridesmaid, who was dressed in mauve, with trimming of lace and ribbons; and Miss Annie Thacker, sister of the bridegroom, as second bridesmaid, who was dressed in white with pink trimmings. Both the bridesmaids wore gold brooches, gifts from the bridegroom, and carried pink and white carnations. Mr. Ernest Thacker, brother of the groom, officiated as his best man.

Mr. C. Driver, organist of the Maple Street Congregational church, played the wedding marches, before and after the ceremony. Rev. H. E. Gordon, of Wesley college, and Mr. Will Marshall of the city, acted as ushers.

From the church the party drove to the groom's parents' home, 423 Henry avenue, where the reception was held, about forty guests partaking of a sumptuous wedding breakfast, and spending a pleasant evening with games and music.

The bride received numerous, beautiful and useful presents from friends from Chatham, Kent, Bridge and Toronto, Ont., New York, and Winnipeg, Brandon, Carman and Emerson, Manitoba.

The happy couple leave on Monday next for their new home.

MANITOBA WHEAT.

Commercial: The country wheat market is quiet. Deliveries have fallen off to a very low point and there is but little interest being taken in the market. Prices have advanced since the 1st of January, as high as 60c is being paid for No. 1 wheat, but the quantity of this grade offered is so small that it can hardly be said to be moving at all. Most of the wheat offering is of poor quality. Quotations range from 50 to 60c according to quality and rate of freight.

There is next to no business being done in the local market. Supply is small, demand is light, and trade is slow. Holders are firm, too firm for buyers to meet them. There is practically no change in prices on the week and we quote 1 hard 85c, 2 hard 78-2c, 3 hard 81-2c, 3 northern 65c in store Fort William. Dried 3 hard 67-1-2c, and dried 3 northern 64c in store Fort Arthur.

There were 1,640,000 bushels of wheat in store at Fort William on Jan. 26. Receipts for the week were 44,000 bushels and shipments were 47,000 bushels, compared with receipts of 185,000 and shipments of 91,000 bushels for the corresponding week last year. A year ago stocks in store at Fort William were 3,132,000 bushels. Stocks in store at Fort William, Port Arthur, Keewatin, Winnipeg and interior points were estimated approximately at 5,307,000 bushels, compared with 8,700,000 bushels a year ago, and 8,200,000 bushels two years ago.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Quebec's P. S. Gaudette, F. J. Beaudry, Morinville, H. Vidua, Hore Hitt, M. Beaudry, Ernest Morin, P. Lamourcaux, Gilbert Picard, N. McKen, J. A. Muir, Mr. and Mrs. Smaller, Leon More, F. Marigani, Port St. Catharines, J. M. Brown, Agriola, N. J. Jack, Jasper House, W. J. English, Louis, Ed. Wieg, Waskia, E. Kowton, Edna, J. McKelvey, and wife, Strathcona; W. E. Heli, L. Day, R. Edmond; D. L. McKelvey, St. Mary's; Plain R. Fletcher, Pottar lake; M. Logan, Devils lake; Thos. J. Dwyer, St. Albert.

Alberta: A. P. Jeffrey, D. F. Dickson, J. F. J. McMillen, T. P. McIntyre, Wm. Brydson, A. E. Dikens, G. M. Marshall, Winnipeg; W. S. Bough, F. D. White, H. Van A. Switzer, Toronto; Miss Smiley, Calgary; H. M. Fullerton; Victoria, B. C.; Harry H. Cooper, Vancouver; Miss Boyce, Leduc; Major Grahame and wife, P. Aylen, Fort Saskatchewan; W. F. Newton, Montreal; Thos. E. Baker, Prince Albert.

Jasper: H. M. Bray, P. Morris, Sturgeon; river, A. Garvey, New Laramie; Jacob Becker, Frank Becker, Spruce Grove; G. Macdonald, Pembina; Geo. Sutter, Fort Saskatchewan.

DEATHS.

Lyon: At Edmonton, Monday, the 4th, infant son, of Mr. and Mrs. E. Lyons.

WOMAN'S HOSPITAL AID.

At the regular meeting of the Woman's hospital aid society, held on Monday, the following donations for January were reported.

Fruit—Mrs. Lockhart, and Mrs. Picard.
Fruit—Mrs. Ostrander and Mrs. Blower.

Magazines—Dr. McInnis.
Magazines—Mr. A. Brown.
Groceries—Mrs. Griesbach.
Other donations were received of jellies, cakes and sugar.

Mrs. Gray, \$10.
Mrs. Goodwin, \$3.

It was also reported that there were a number of dishes from the hall left in Robertson hall and it is necessary that they should be taken away.

Notice to Claimants against the Farmers' Milling Company of Fort Saskatchewan, Limited.

Pursuant to the Order of the Honorable Mr. Justice Scott, dated the 24th day of January, 1901, notice is hereby given that all creditors and others having claims against the Farmers' Milling Company of Fort Saskatchewan, Limited, (who have made an assignment to Frank Marigani, as Trustee, for the benefit of their creditors) are to send in to the said Frank Marigani, addressed to him at Port Saskatchewan, Alberta, N. W. T., full particulars of their claims against the said Company, verifying the same by Statutory Declaration, having regard to the statement of the securities (if any) held by them, and giving full particulars of the same, within two months after the first publication of this notice. And notice is hereby further given, that after the expiration of the time so fixed, the said Trustee will be at liberty to distribute the Trust Estate of any part thereof amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims of which the said Trustee has then notice, and shall not be liable for the assets or loss thereof, as the case may be, so distributed, to any person whose claim said Trustee shall not have had notice at the time of the distribution of the said Trust Estate, or any part thereof, as the case may be.

Dated at Edmonton this 25th day of January, A. D. 1901.

HECK & EMERY.

Advocates for the Trustee.

First publication of this notice January 23rd, 1901.

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HOUSE TO RENT.

On Fourth Street, opposite Presbyterian Church. For particulars apply to JOHN A. MACDOUGALL.

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COAL.

For Cash.
Telephone
WM HUMBERSTONE.

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at its next session for an Act to consolidate and amend the Act relating to the Trans-Canada Railway Company to extend the time limited for the commencement and completion of the undertaking to grant the Company the option of beginning construction from a point on the Quebec and St. John Railway or on the Great Northern Railway and to deflect their main line to the south end of James' Bay and to build a branch from point to point on a main line to Toronto and Winnipeg and to keep water near the mouth of the Winnipeg River; to construct and operate the breaking vessels to increase the number of provisional and ordinary directors, to determine the amount of capital to be paid up prior to the organization of the Company and to authorize the Company to acquire or amalgamate with other Railway Companies.

Ottawa, 18th. January, 1901.

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Head Cheese,

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THE WHITE TROUBADOURS

The minstrel entertainment of the White Troubadours took place Monday evening in the Robertson Hall, before a good sized audience. The musical first part was particularly good. The singing of the choruses, under the direction of Mr. Bridle, was excellent and showed the results of careful and skilful training. The soloists, Messrs. Hueston, McIntyre, Lavie, Baker, Cartwright, Wood and Harwood acquitted themselves well, the comic songs of Messrs. Baker and Lavie being particularly well. Mr. Baker as an emcee was a host in himself. Several local hits were worked off both in the songs and songs. The performance was materially assisted by an orchestra of ten pieces, under the leadership of Bob. Hockley. The programme of the first part was:

Overture, "Let Loud the Glasses Ring." (From "Said Pasha.") The Company.
Song, "On the Banks of the Wabash," Mr. W. Wood.
Song, "How I Love My Love," Mr. Lavie and Company.
Song and chorus, "Just As the Sun Went Down," Mr. Cartwright.
Song, "Rock Me, Susie," H. Baker and Company.
Song and chorus, "Just a Song at Twilight," Mr. McIntyre.
Song, "Little Golden Bells," Mr. Harwood and Company.
Song and chorus, "Because," Mr. Hueston.

Song, "If There's Only Fought With Bessie in the War," Mr. T. Lavie and Company.
Medley, "Up-to-date," Mr. H. Baker.
Song, "Old Kentucky Home," T. Lavie.
The second half of the programme consisted of the following numbers: Mandolin solo, Mr. Baker.
Character recitation, "Mary had a Little Lamb," Mr. Hueston.
Song and chorus, Messrs. Stokely and Baker.
Song, "The Bells of St. Mary's," Mr. Stokely.
Song and chorus, "Because," Mr. Stokely.

The programme concluded with the recitation of the long sequence, "The Wig Makers," under the stage management of Mr. Hueston, the different parts being taken by J. Hueston, H. J. Baker, and H. W. Hueston.
A J. H. McCutley was accompanied and as usual, performed his duties admirably.
The box was placed at the disposal of the members who had returned from South Africa.

The proceeds, after the payment of expenses, will be divided among the members.

MEETING AT STONY PLAIN.

Pursuant to notice a large meeting of farmers was held at Stony Plain Centre school house on the 2nd inst. Mr. J. L. McDonald in the chair and W. C. Clement secretary. Mr. McKinlay, being called to address the meeting, spoke as follows: The purpose of this meeting and others similarly held recently throughout Stony Plain was to keep before the government the absolute necessity of a railway through Stony Plain. We are aware that a line was supposed to be built this coming summer therefore it was deemed advisable to petition the government so it may insist on the immediate construction of same. In delaying the building of this road the loss of the Dominion assumes cannot be readily estimated. It will take the large fertile area would be settled. The grand timber belt would be brought in touch and built fully by settlers on the prairie. The untold mineral wealth of the Caribou would be brought under development, the welfare of the settlers of Stony Plain would be materially enhanced and the forty and fifty miles of bad of roads today would be a byword and thing of the past. In conclusion we have implicit confidence, verified at all occasions in Mr. Oliver and in the liberal party generally, and we have no doubt but that we will get a fair hearing at the seat of government.

Mr. Wertz was asked to interpret the speech in German which he did fluently.
Rev. Mr. Eberhardt spoke in English and German which was much appreciated.

Messrs. Oils, Washburn and Brox spoke very favorably re petitioning the government for railway.
The following were appointed to circulate the petitions in the seven school districts of Stony Plain: Fritz Duchak, Dan Brox, J. Weillhauser, Sam Oils, P. S. Washburn, all names to be secured on the 14th inst., and Messrs. Oils and Brox to forward same to Mr. Oliver at Ottawa.

JOSEPHSBURG.

A meeting of the patrons of the treasury was held on Jan. 31st, Supr. McNeil being present. It is intended to remove the skinning station from its present position to a more suitable one and to operate the latter making plant here instead of, as last year, at Fort Saskatchewan.

Protracted revival services are being held in the Methodist church, Rev. Mr. Lawford officiating.

Many of our farmers are holding their oats for higher prices—where there is every chance of their getting.

A police patrol has been established between Dawson and White Horse by the Northwest Mounted Police. Each week two policemen start over the trail from the Dawson end with dogs, and each week a counter patrol starts down the river from White Horse. They make 20 to 30 miles a day, keep a watchful eye on the goods from stranded scows or steamers, look after the safety of the trail houses, and go over the registers of the trail houses, in order to know who has passed along the trail. A register of all goods is required to be kept at each road house, and in that way clues may be obtained to any sudden disappearance along the trail.

KOOTENAY PRICES, PER TON.

Kansas fresh eggs are quoted to arrive at 25c per dozen. Other prices remain unchanged as follows:

Butter—Creamery, 21-1-2 to 25-1-2.
Eggs—Choice fresh, 35c.
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OLDS EXPORTS, JAN. 31ST, 1901.

Report of farm products shipped from Olds during the month of January.

Butter and eggs,	1,490 lbs.
Oats,	36,440 lbs.
Hay,	22,000 lbs.
Cattle,	400,000 lbs.
Farm products,	100 lbs.

THE WAR.

General Kitchener telegraphs from Pretoria under date of Jan. 1st: DeWet's forces against the Bloemfontein-Ladysmith line near Israelpoort during the night of Jan. 30. Hamilton's men at the waterworks were unable to get in touch with them. French with the cavalry and mounted infantry is sweeping the country east of the Pretoria-Johannesburg railway between the Delagoa Bay & Natal railway as far as Ermelo. He engaged about 2,000 of the enemy at Wilge valley. The enemy retired with four killed and six wounded. Our casualties were one killed and seven wounded. Knox reports that he engaged DeWet's force south of Welkom on January 29th. There was continuous fighting for some hours. Five Boers were killed. They removed many of their casualties in carts. Our casualties were one man and one officer killed and 18 wounded.

The newspapers at Rome publish a letter from Gen. Kitchener to Arch. Bishop Segor. The British commander in South Africa says: "Thanks for your good wishes. My task is very difficult, more so than it was in the Sudan. The Boers fight very well, but are very ignorant, and still hope for the intervention of Europe. The papers have published many untrue statements as to cruelties practised by our troops, but they have contradicted themselves very well. I trust that you who know the English soldiers in Egypt, will not believe these stories." F. R. Burnham, the American scout, who took a prominent part in the operations in South Africa, until he was transferred to England, is going to Ashante with his brother to prospect for gold mines.

The Daily News says that Earl Roberts, commander-in-chief of the British forces, does not contemplate the possibility of withdrawing a single soldier from South Africa for the next twelve months, and that the government recognizes the necessity for asking the House of Commons for \$70,000,000 for the coming financial year, in addition to what has already been voted for the war.

A troop of the 16th Lancers, 3rd Cavalry Brigade, named Lardner, who was captured near Lindley on Tuesday, arrived at Kroonstad on the 29th. He was with the rear guard of Col. White's column, and was taken prisoner by DeWet, who has 1,000 men in that district. He was deprived of everything except his uniform, and detained till Wednesday. The enemy asked him for information as to the movements of the British, and said they had killed 20 of the column. They also told him that DeWet did not let his followers know his whereabouts, but that he was only an hour's journey away.

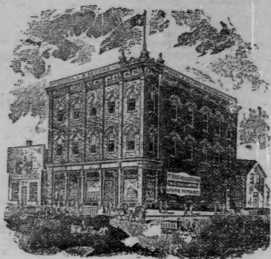
Lardner reports that the Boers are in a very excited, and their clothes and boots are worn out; but they have very good horses, and supplies of mules and fruit are brought to them by the natives. The commando consists mostly of foreigners. Lardner, when released, had a two day's walk to Kroonstad.

Lord Kitchener reports to the war office under date of Pretoria, January 29, as follows: "DeWet has been engaged by Knox 40 miles north of Thaba N'Chu. No details. DeWet intends again attempting an invasion of Cape Colony."

News of Commandant DeWet's movements has been lacking for some weeks. His whereabouts have only been conjectured. A recent report said DeWet had trekked in a direction Transvaal to participate with Doiba. Later despatches indicate that this report was incorrect. DeWet is operating in his favorite stamp ground, the eastern part of the Orange River Colony (Thaba N'Chu), near which place he encountered the British. The Boers have damaged the Rand electric light plants to the amount of £20,000 (\$300,000).

During the last fiscal year no less than \$11,168,083 worth of fish was exported from Canada to foreign countries. To this amount the various provinces contributed in the following proportions: Nova Scotia, \$5,007,786; British Columbia, \$3,482,087; New Brunswick, \$731,392; Prince Edward Island, \$590,152; Ontario, \$548,823; Quebec, \$541,370; Manitoba and the Northwest Territories, \$306,505.

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